

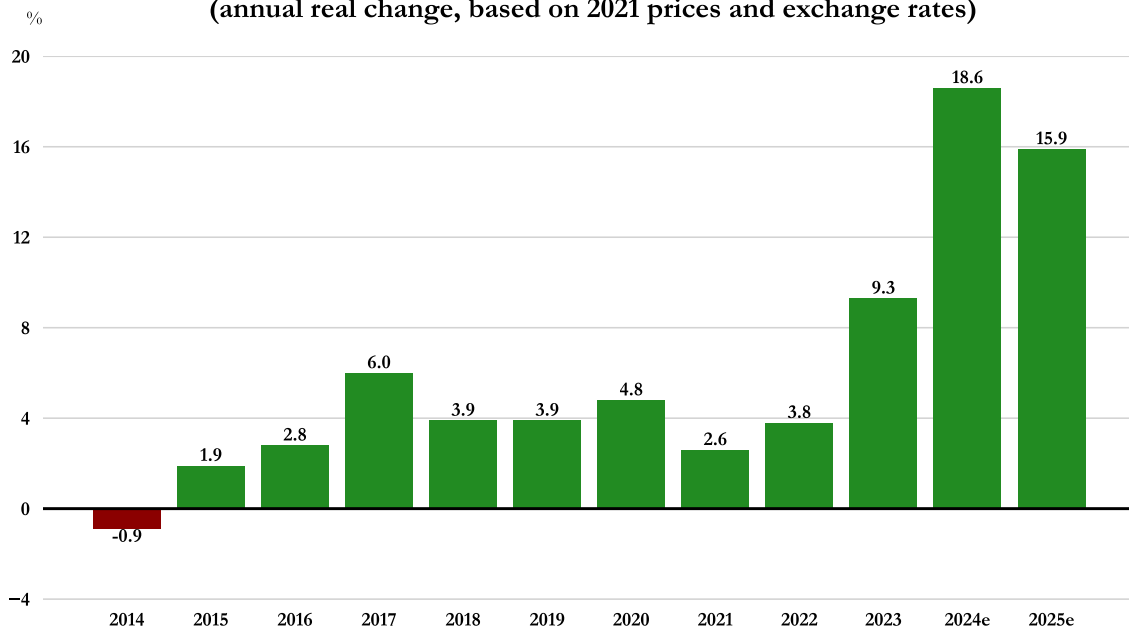
Defence Expenditure of NATO Countries (2014-2025)

NATO collects defence expenditure data from Allies and publishes it on a regular basis. Each Ally's Ministry of Defence reports current and estimated future defence expenditure according to an agreed definition. The amounts represent payments by a national government that have been or will be made during the course of the fiscal year to meet the needs of its armed forces, those of Allies or of the Alliance. In the figures and tables that follow, NATO also uses economic and demographic information available from the Directorate-General for Economic and Financial Affairs of the European Commission (DG ECFIN), the International Monetary Fund (IMF) and the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD).

In view of differences between these sources and national GDP forecasts, and also the definition of NATO defence expenditure and national definitions, the figures shown in this report may considerably diverge from those that are referenced by media, published by national authorities or given in national budgets. Equipment expenditure includes expenditure on major equipment as well as on research and development devoted to major equipment. Personnel expenditure includes pensions paid to retirees.

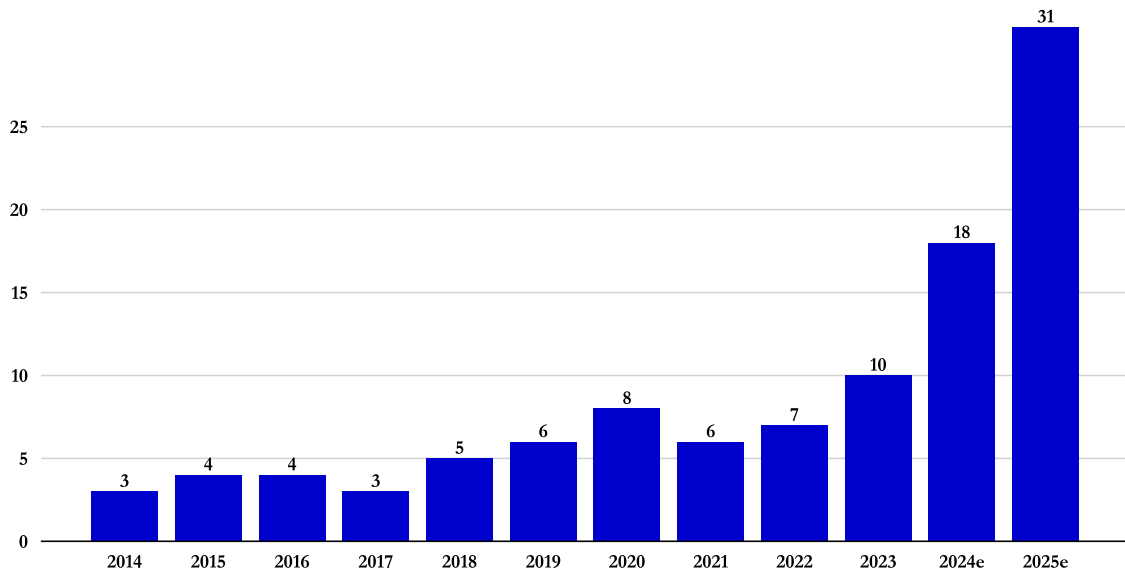
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Graph 1: NATO Europe and Canada - Defence Expenditure Growth
(annual real change, based on 2021 prices and exchange rates)



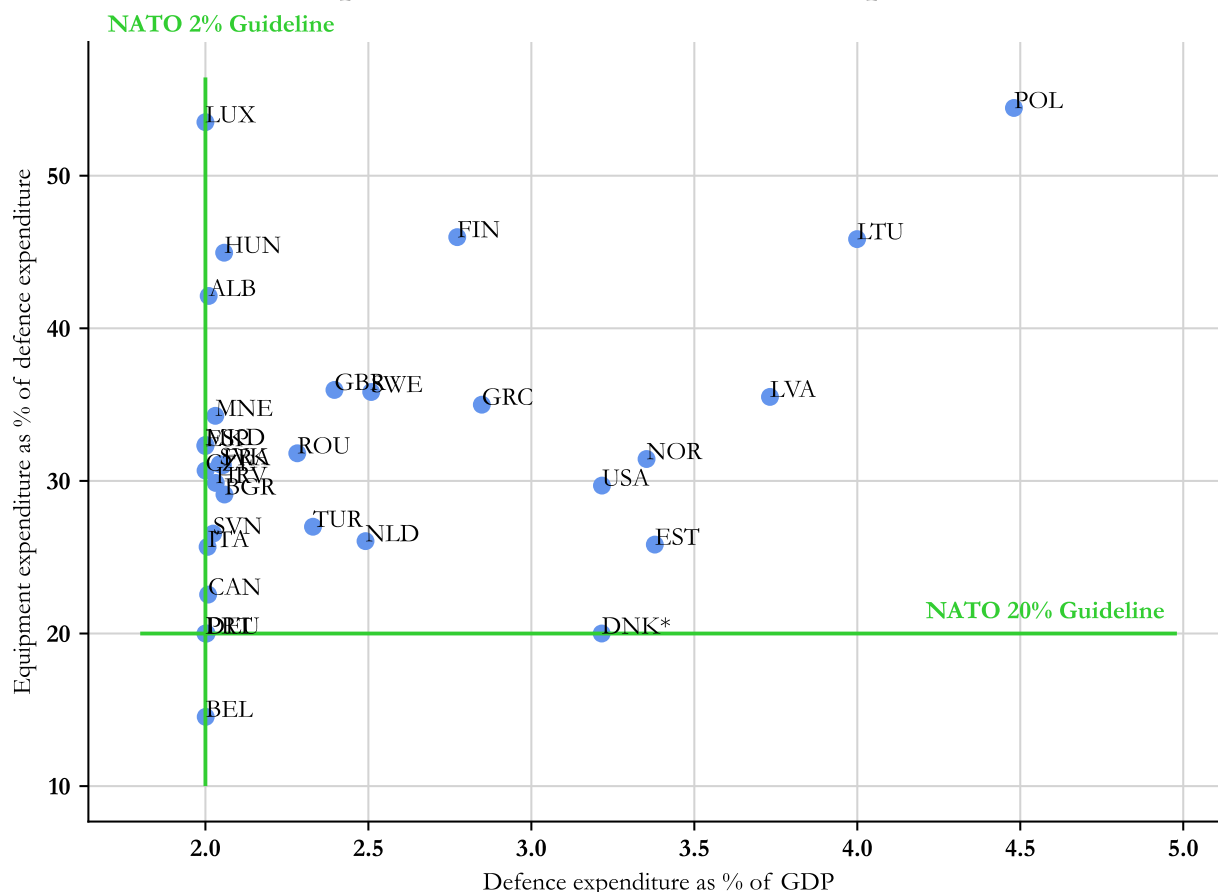
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Graph 2: Number of Allies meeting 2%



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Graph 3: Defence expenditure as share of GDP and equipment expenditure as share of defence expenditure

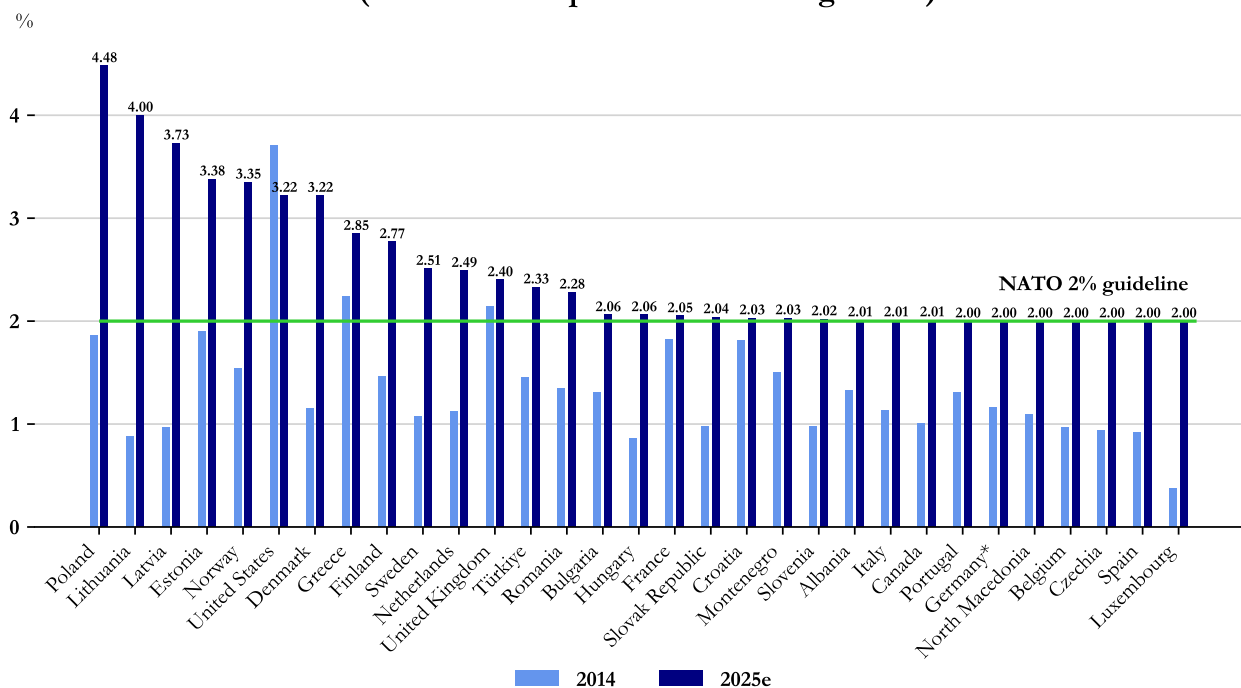


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* Denmark has declared that it has allocated more than 20% of defence expenditure to major equipment.

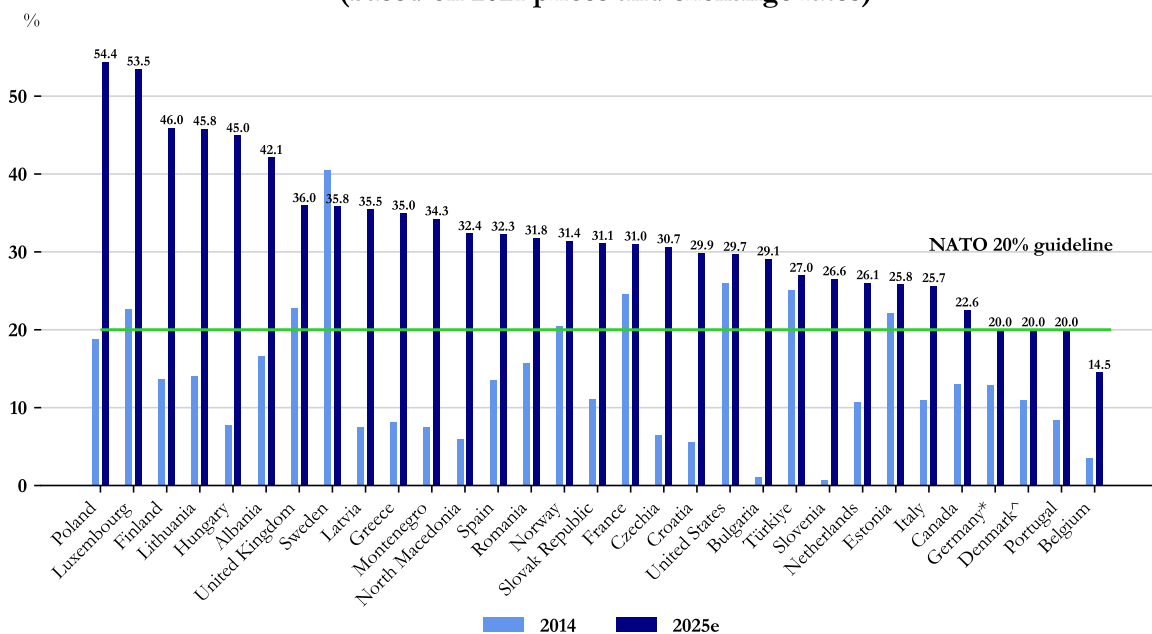
For those Allies that have national laws or political agreements which call for 2% of GDP or more to be spent on defence annually, but that did not declare figures for 2025, it has been assumed that they spent 2% of GDP on defence.

Graph 4: Defence expenditure as a share of GDP (%)
(based on 2021 prices and exchange rates)



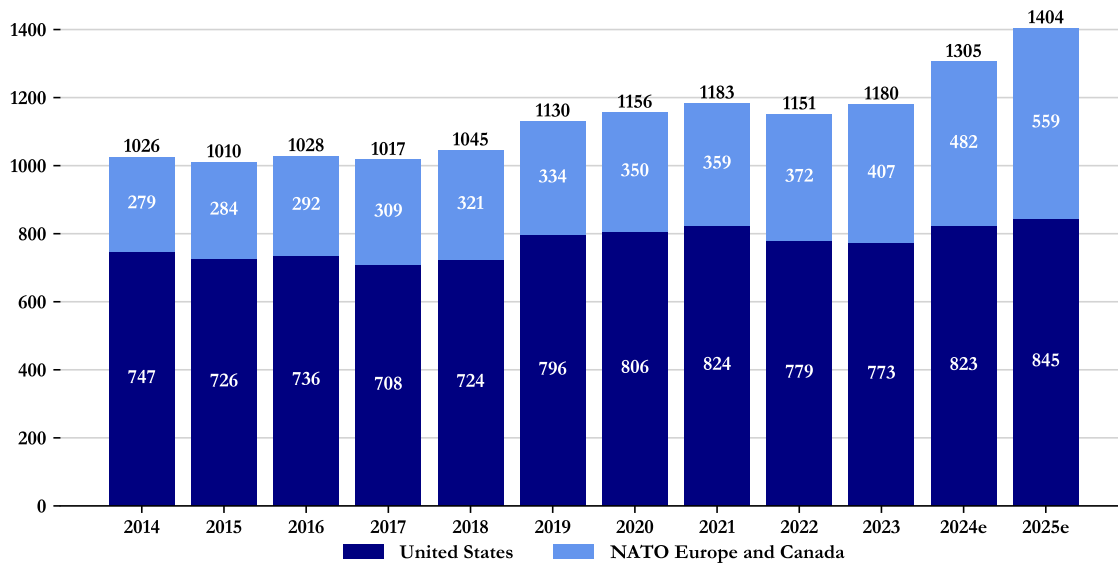
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* Germany has made a political commitment to spend at least 2% of GDP on defence, but will only be able to provide figures when the national budget for 2025 has been approved by the German parliament.

Graph 5: Equipment expenditure as a share of defence expenditure (%)
(based on 2021 prices and exchange rates)



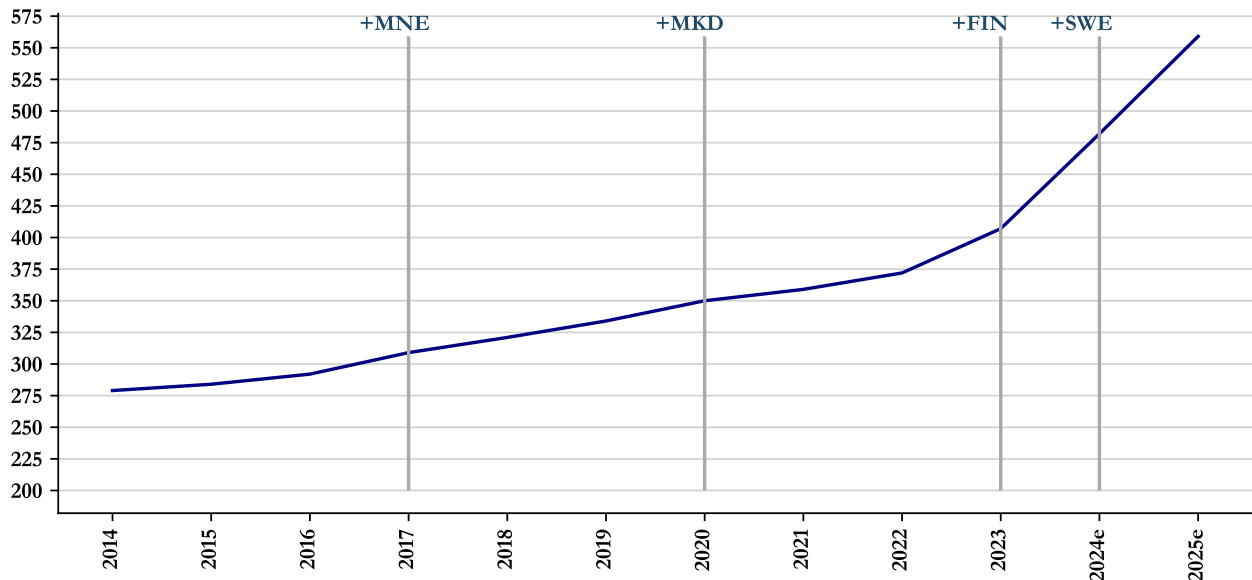
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Graph 6: Defence expenditure
(billion US dollars, based on 2021 prices and exchange rates)



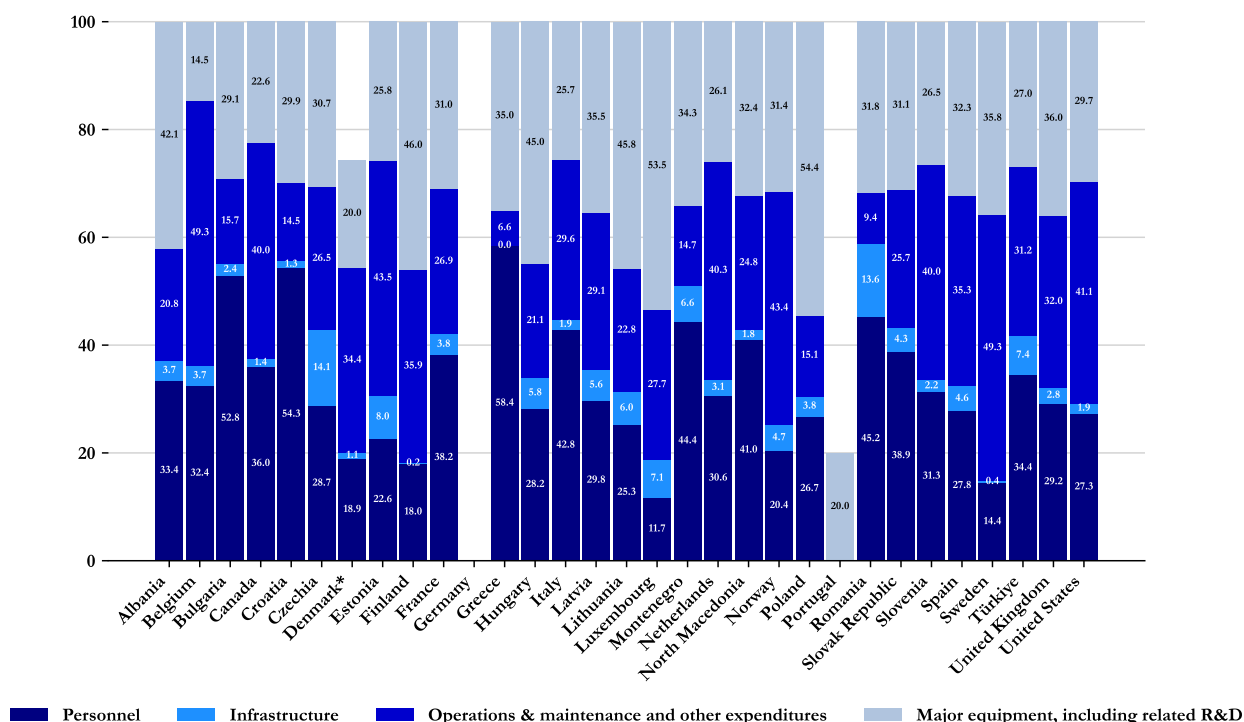
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Graph 7: NATO Europe and Canada - Defence Expenditure
(billion US dollars, based on 2021 prices and exchange rates)



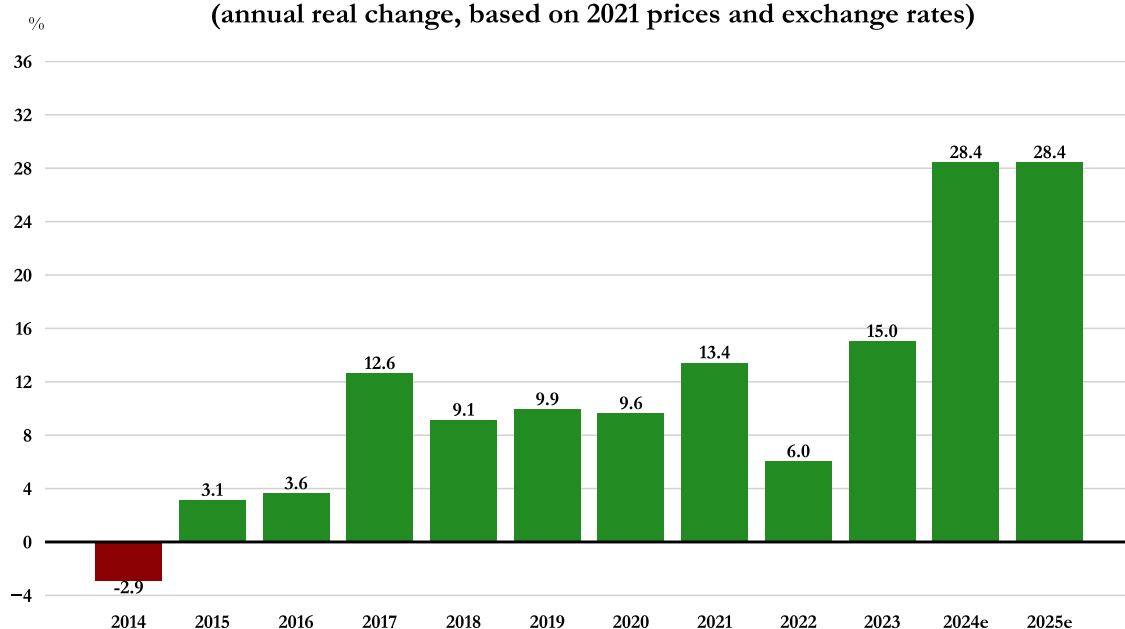
Notes: Data as at 3 June 2025, based on 2021 prices and exchange rates. Figures for 2024 and 2025 are estimates. Includes enlargements which took place in: 2017 (1 Ally), 2020 (1 Ally), 2023 (1 Ally), and 2024 (1 Ally). For those Allies that have national laws or political agreements which call for 2% of GDP or more to be spent on defence annually, but that did not declare figures for 2025, it has been assumed that they spent 2% of GDP on defence.

Graph 8: Main Categories of defence expenditure (%) 2025e
(percentage of total defence expenditure)



Notes: Data as at 3 June 2025, based on 2021 prices and exchange rates. Figures for 2025 are estimates. For those Allies that did not provide estimates for 2025, the respective estimates are shown as blank. * Denmark has declared that it has allocated more than 20% of defence expenditure to major equipment.

Graph 9: NATO Europe and Canada - major equipment expenditure
(annual real change, based on 2021 prices and exchange rates)



Notes: Data as at 3 June 2025, based on 2021 prices and exchange rates. Figures for 2024 and 2025 are estimates. The NATO Europe and Canada aggregates from 2017 onwards include Montenegro, which became an Ally on 5 June 2017, from 2020 onwards include North Macedonia, which became an Ally on 27 March 2020, from 2023 onwards include Finland, which became an Ally on 4 April 2023, and from 2024 onwards include Sweden, which became an Ally on 7 March 2024. Those Allies that did not provide estimates for 2025 have been excluded from the 2025 aggregate.

Table 4: Defence expenditure real change 2014-2025e

Million US dollars (2021 prices and exchange rates)

	2014	2025e	Real change 2014-2025e (%)	Share of real GDP 2014 (%)	Share of real GDP 2025e (%)
Albania	196	427	117.79	1.33	2.01
Belgium	5,263	12,919	145.47	0.97	2.00
Bulgaria	910	1,933	112.45	1.31	2.06
Canada	18,418	43,694	137.24	1.01	2.01
Croatia	1,042	1,661	59.37	1.81	2.03
Czechia	2,294	6,190	169.84	0.94	2.00
Denmark	3,962	14,407	263.64	1.15	3.22
Estonia	566	1,225	116.40	1.90	3.38
Finland	3,928	8,295	111.20	1.46	2.77
France	50,540	64,498	27.62	1.82	2.05
Germany	46,708	-	-	1.16	-
Greece	4,688	7,040	50.16	2.24	2.85
Hungary	1,250	3,997	219.84	0.86	2.06
Italy	23,700	46,776	97.37	1.13	2.01
Latvia	311	1,501	383.15	0.97	3.73
Lithuania	459	2,916	534.88	0.88	4.00
Luxembourg	261	1,219	366.96	0.37	2.00
Montenegro	76	143	89.47	1.50	2.03
Netherlands	10,322	28,327	174.44	1.12	2.49
North Macedonia	133	312	135.03	1.09	2.00
Norway	7,015	17,940	155.73	1.54	3.35
Poland	9,764	34,641	254.77	1.86	4.48
Portugal	3,051	5,843	91.49	1.31	2.00
Romania	3,002	7,121	137.17	1.35	2.28
Slovak Republic	980	2,633	168.75	0.98	2.04
Slovenia	486	1,355	179.01	0.98	2.02
Spain	12,242	33,602	174.49	0.92	2.00
Sweden	5,805	16,578	185.59	1.07	2.51
Türkiye	8,413	22,181	163.63	1.45	2.33
United Kingdom	62,746	81,313	29.59	2.14	2.40
United States	747,200	845,280	13.13	3.71	3.22

Notes: Figures for 2025 are estimates.

Table 6: GDP per capita and defence expenditure per capita

2021 prices and exchange rates												
GDP per capita (thousand US dollars)	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024e	2025e
Albania	5.1	5.2	5.4	5.6	5.9	6.0	5.8	6.4	6.8	7.2	7.5	7.9
Belgium	48.7	49.2	49.4	50.0	50.7	51.7	48.9	51.8	53.7	53.8	54.0	54.5
Bulgaria	9.7	10.0	10.4	10.8	11.1	11.7	11.3	12.4	13.6	13.9	14.4	14.9
Canada	51.7	51.6	51.6	52.5	53.2	53.5	50.2	52.5	53.6	52.8	51.9	52.4
Croatia	13.7	14.2	14.9	15.6	16.3	16.9	15.7	17.8	19.2	19.8	20.6	21.2
Czechia	23.3	24.4	24.9	26.2	26.8	27.6	26.1	27.7	27.6	27.6	27.6	28.4
Denmark	61.2	62.2	63.5	65.0	65.9	66.7	65.3	69.9	70.6	71.6	73.3	74.6
Estonia	22.7	23.2	23.9	25.1	26.0	26.8	26.1	27.9	27.5	26.3	26.0	26.4
Finland	49.4	49.4	50.6	52.1	52.6	53.3	51.9	53.2	53.8	53.1	52.5	53.3
France	42.1	42.3	42.5	43.4	43.9	44.7	41.2	43.8	44.7	45.1	45.5	45.8
Germany	49.6	49.9	50.6	51.9	52.3	52.8	50.4	52.2	52.5	52.1	51.9	52.2
Greece	19.2	19.3	19.4	19.7	20.2	20.6	18.8	20.5	22.1	22.7	23.3	23.8
Hungary	14.8	15.4	15.8	16.5	17.5	18.4	17.7	19.0	19.9	19.7	19.9	20.3
Iceland	66.7	69.0	72.6	74.1	75.7	75.5	69.3	72.1	77.1	78.8	77.5	77.9
Italy	34.7	35.0	35.5	36.2	36.5	36.7	33.5	36.7	38.6	39.0	39.2	39.5
Latvia	16.0	16.7	17.3	18.1	19.0	19.3	18.7	20.2	20.7	21.0	21.1	21.5
Lithuania	17.7	18.4	19.1	20.3	21.5	22.6	22.6	23.9	24.4	23.9	24.4	25.2
Luxembourg	129.1	129.0	132.4	130.7	129.9	131.1	127.5	134.7	134.4	89.1	90.2	89.0
Montenegro	8.1	8.4	8.6	9.0	9.5	9.8	8.4	9.5	10.1	10.5	10.8	11.1
Netherlands	54.6	55.5	56.6	57.8	58.8	59.8	57.1	60.4	63.0	62.2	62.3	63.0
North Macedonia	6.4	6.6	6.8	6.9	7.2	7.5	7.2	7.6	7.9	8.0	8.3	8.6
Norway	88.4	89.2	89.4	91.0	91.1	91.6	90.0	93.0	94.9	93.9	94.2	95.2
Poland	13.8	14.4	14.9	15.6	16.6	17.3	17.0	18.6	19.7	19.8	20.4	21.1
Portugal	22.4	22.8	23.4	24.2	24.9	25.5	23.4	24.6	26.2	26.6	26.8	27.2
Romania	11.2	11.6	12.0	13.0	13.9	14.5	14.1	14.9	15.7	16.0	16.2	16.6
Slovak Republic	18.4	19.4	19.7	20.3	21.0	21.5	20.9	22.1	22.3	22.6	23.2	23.8
Slovenia	24.0	24.5	25.3	26.5	27.7	28.5	27.1	29.2	30.0	30.5	30.7	31.5
Spain	28.8	30.0	30.8	31.6	32.2	32.5	28.9	30.8	32.3	32.8	33.5	33.8
Sweden	55.5	57.2	57.6	58.1	58.6	59.5	57.9	60.8	61.4	61.2	61.3	61.9
Türkiye	7.5	7.9	8.0	8.5	8.7	8.6	8.7	9.6	10.0	10.5	10.9	11.1
United Kingdom	45.3	46.0	46.5	47.4	47.8	48.3	43.2	46.7	48.8	48.3	48.2	48.6
United States	63.1	64.5	65.2	66.4	68.0	69.5	67.4	71.2	72.6	74.1	75.5	76.8
NATO Europe and Canada	33.3	33.8	34.2	35.1	35.6	36.0	33.6	35.8	36.9	37.1	37.8	38.2
NATO Total	43.7	44.5	45.1	46.0	46.9	47.7	45.4	48.2	49.5	50.0	50.8	51.6
Defence expenditure per capita (US dollars)	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024e	2025e
Albania	68	60	59	62	67	76	75	79	82	125	128	159
Belgium	471	448	444	443	453	459	492	540	625	636	695	1,090
Bulgaria	126	125	130	132	162	366	180	187	216	270	282	306
Canada	520	620	598	755	691	692	707	667	642	701	763	1,052
Croatia	248	248	236	255	251	272	266	351	346	331	384	431
Czechia	218	248	235	267	292	321	333	372	357	364	574	568
Denmark	704	693	731	741	845	866	897	903	961	1,433	1,663	2,400
Estonia	431	461	484	496	512	537	590	563	589	788	876	892
Finland	721	721	724	726	734	778	799	749	907	1,125	1,263	1,478
France	764	753	762	772	797	811	817	834	835	877	924	940
Germany	577	581	596	627	642	699	752	746	776	841	1,041	..
Greece	429	447	466	467	509	500	539	750	856	627	637	678
Hungary	127	139	158	197	176	245	308	250	364	404	423	418
Italy	393	370	416	432	445	428	530	559	579	573	587	793
Latvia	155	179	257	299	406	403	417	435	467	624	708	803
Lithuania	157	209	283	347	418	447	462	467	595	649	755	1,008
Luxembourg	475	535	503	647	651	718	737	635	757	942	1,073	1,780
Montenegro	122	117	122	121	129	131	145	147	139	159	185	226
Netherlands	613	612	637	646	697	768	779	796	873	998	1,249	1,570
North Macedonia	69	69	66	62	68	87	90	111	124	135	157	172
Norway	1,361	1,411	1,550	1,551	1,563	1,689	1,769	1,558	1,384	1,713	2,143	3,191
Poland	257	318	295	294	331	341	375	407	435	647	774	948
Portugal	293	304	296	300	334	351	333	375	364	354	424	545
Romania	151	168	171	226	249	266	282	276	274	256	353	378
Slovak Republic	181	214	219	223	256	366	398	378	402	416	454	486
Slovenia	236	230	256	263	282	302	289	362	389	402	421	637
Spain	264	276	247	284	296	293	288	313	367	382	478	676
Sweden	596	582	563	566	573	621	636	868	908	1,029	1,413	1,553
Türkiye	109	109	117	129	157	160	162	154	136	156	231	258
United Kingdom	971	934	971	985	1,004	1,006	1,016	1,069	1,105	1,086	1,125	1,164
United States	2,345	2,262	2,276	2,178	2,214	2,422	2,432	2,479	2,332	2,294	2,419	2,469
NATO Europe and Canada	466	472	483	510	527	545	568	583	602	647	752	868
NATO Total	1,119	1,095	1,108	1,092	1,116	1,201	1,220	1,248	1,209	1,222	1,329	1,423

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Table 7: Military personnel

	Thousands											
	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024e	2025e
Albania	6.7	6.2	5.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.6	6.6	6.6	7.0	7.4
Belgium	30.5	29.7	28.8	27.8	26.5	23.3	22.8	22.1	21.4	21.4	21.3	21.3
Bulgaria	27.5	24.9	24.7	24.3	24.4	24.6	25.0	25.7	25.6	25.6	26.9	28.4
Canada	65.9	70.3	70.5	68.2	70.3	71.8	70.3	68.2	67.4	66.8	77.1	77.1
Croatia	15.4	15.1	14.8	14.8	15.0	14.8	14.7	14.9	14.4	14.0	13.7	15.2
Czechia	20.2	21.5	22.7	23.8	24.7	25.3	26.1	26.4	26.6	27.3	29.5	30.6
Denmark	16.9	17.2	17.3	16.7	17.1	16.3	16.9	16.9	16.7	17.3	17.3	17.3
Estonia	6.3	6.0	6.1	6.0	6.2	6.3	6.7	6.6	6.3	7.3	7.5	7.8
Finland	32.5	31.0	31.3	31.0	31.8	31.1	31.3	31.1	30.5	31.0	30.8	30.8
France	207.0	204.8	208.1	208.2	208.2	207.8	207.6	207.6	207.1	205.3	204.7	..
Germany	178.8	177.2	177.9	179.8	181.5	183.8	183.9	183.9	183.2	181.7	185.6	186.4
Greece	107.3	104.4	106.0	106.8	109.2	102.5	106.6	108.1	107.3	111.0	110.8	111.7
Hungary	17.5	17.4	17.9	18.7	19.9	18.9	19.8	20.0	19.7	20.1	20.9	21.6
Italy	183.5	178.4	176.3	174.6	174.1	176.4	173.4	170.3	170.0	170.7	171.4	171.2
Latvia	4.6	4.8	5.2	5.5	5.9	6.0	6.4	6.5	6.4	6.7	8.4	9.0
Lithuania	8.6	11.8	11.8	13.5	14.3	14.9	15.1	15.2	15.7	17.9	18.5	19.5
Luxembourg	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9
Montenegro	1.9	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.9	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.6	2.0
Netherlands	41.2	40.6	40.0	39.5	39.3	39.7	40.4	40.9	40.6	41.1	41.9	42.5
North Macedonia	6.5	6.8	6.6	6.3	6.5	6.4	6.4	6.1	5.9	5.7	6.1	6.2
Norway	21.0	20.9	20.5	20.2	20.2	19.2	20.6	23.1	23.5	24.0	24.3	24.8
Poland	99.0	98.9	101.6	105.3	109.5	113.1	116.2	166.8	176.0	206.5	216.1	233.8
Portugal	30.7	28.3	29.8	27.8	26.9	23.8	23.7	25.3	22.5	21.4	24.0	24.9
Romania	65.1	64.5	63.4	64.0	64.0	64.5	66.4	68.6	66.7	64.0	66.6	69.3
Slovak Republic	12.4	12.4	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.7	13.1	13.1	13.2	13.0	15.6	16.9
Slovenia	6.8	6.6	6.5	6.3	6.2	6.0	6.0	6.0	5.8	5.8	5.9	6.1
Spain	121.8	121.6	121.0	117.7	117.4	117.0	118.7	118.7	117.3	116.3	117.4	118.2
Sweden	14.7	15.0	15.0	15.9	17.8	19.1	20.1	21.1	20.9	21.5	23.1	24.9
Türkiye	426.6	384.8	359.3	416.7	444.3	441.8	433.0	450.0	455.9	463.7	481.0	494.5
United Kingdom	168.7	141.4	139.5	149.4	146.6	144.0	147.3	148.2	143.6	138.1	138.1	..
United States	1,338.2	1,314.1	1,301.4	1,305.9	1,317.4	1,329.2	1,346.7	1,349.0	1,317.0	1,286.0	1,300.2	..
NATO Europe and Canada	1,890.8	1,810.7	1,788.3	1,857.1	1,893.0	1,883.7	1,896.7	1,968.3	1,968.2	2,033.0	2,114.0	1,820.2
NATO Total	3,228.9	3,124.8	3,089.8	3,163.0	3,210.5	3,212.9	3,243.4	3,317.3	3,285.2	3,319.0	3,414.2	1,820.2

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Table 8a: Distribution of defence expenditure by main category

Percentage of total defence expenditure												
Equipment (a)												
	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024e	2025e
Albania	16.65	8.92	8.01	6.96	9.42	14.61	15.00	15.12	17.05	25.19	26.60	42.12
Belgium	3.52	3.44	4.72	6.52	10.15	11.06	13.88	19.47	20.36	20.22	15.16	14.54
Bulgaria	1.03	3.47	9.15	8.10	9.65	59.74	8.44	11.05	15.70	28.27	32.47	29.11
Canada	13.03	10.47	10.61	10.70	11.94	13.84	14.67	12.07	11.33	14.99	18.26	22.55
Croatia	5.56	8.01	7.51	5.69	3.37	6.55	9.06	30.01	31.19	24.20	26.37	29.87
Czechia	6.53	11.75	6.70	11.55	11.16	16.44	17.31	20.47	24.66	23.04	38.12	30.68
Denmark	10.99	11.50	13.68	10.39	11.66	16.21	17.65	17.19	18.72	12.66	30.82	..
Estonia	22.15	12.82	17.86	19.22	16.51	15.50	23.00	23.18	21.86	16.72	23.24	25.83
Finland	13.68	14.15	14.04	13.35	13.56	21.14	21.63	19.88	33.54	42.54	40.91	45.97
France	24.64	25.04	24.44	24.17	23.66	24.53	26.62	27.85	28.64	28.50	28.50	31.03
Germany	12.94	11.93	12.21	11.77	12.36	14.69	17.45	16.69	17.23	18.04	21.17	..
Greece	8.17	10.40	13.45	11.28	11.03	11.55	10.70	37.24	42.29	25.15	25.72	35.00
Hungary	7.76	9.75	13.37	18.54	12.63	36.46	45.57	36.40	47.58	39.22	47.81	44.95
Italy	10.92	9.72	19.09	20.68	19.13	17.00	18.56	23.23	22.77	21.98	21.58	25.68
Latvia	7.55	13.60	19.05	15.01	31.85	21.65	20.53	22.07	24.65	31.57	25.32	35.50
Lithuania	14.06	21.55	30.06	31.61	36.98	37.57	33.71	22.32	36.62	28.66	30.02	45.84
Luxembourg	22.61	33.33	30.07	42.06	45.18	49.71	50.15	39.58	45.10	56.40	51.38	53.51
Montenegro	7.46	5.43	4.46	4.97	11.14	14.96	20.96	20.54	22.85	23.99	30.41	34.27
Netherlands	10.68	11.16	14.14	14.75	16.39	20.34	22.13	23.85	14.78	23.87	23.27	26.05
North Macedonia	5.92	11.13	8.37	6.47	11.09	13.82	11.53	21.77	24.13	25.17	29.62	32.36
Norway	20.42	21.83	23.37	24.63	25.60	28.76	28.41	29.19	28.39	29.29	27.33	31.44
Poland	18.84	33.20	21.62	22.04	27.51	23.36	29.31	33.89	32.42	44.73	42.90	54.44
Portugal	8.43	8.70	9.95	11.42	15.48	16.61	17.36	12.46	16.09	18.82	19.03	20.00
Romania	15.77	19.65	20.43	33.34	33.47	25.59	23.12	21.57	25.51	21.94	32.09	31.81
Slovak Republic	11.12	18.28	15.32	17.74	22.27	40.07	31.84	32.34	36.54	26.08	35.17	31.10
Slovenia	0.66	1.85	1.02	4.04	5.98	7.11	5.69	14.56	22.38	23.92	24.94	26.55
Spain	13.49	14.82	6.65	20.39	21.83	21.02	19.43	22.47	20.89	27.39	30.79	32.29
Sweden	40.47	38.08	34.62	21.65	22.40	22.95	23.79	20.22	21.13	30.24	35.37	35.83
Türkiye	25.08	25.13	25.55	30.30	37.64	34.32	30.73	29.31	28.43	29.79	33.36	27.00
United Kingdom	22.82	21.75	21.24	22.29	22.25	22.85	23.83	29.50	31.42	31.26	33.36	35.96
United States	25.97	25.41	25.05	25.73	27.06	29.06	29.69	28.70	27.85	29.37	28.98	29.69
Personnel (b)												
	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024e	2025e
Albania	68.05	78.15	68.05	68.19	70.70	62.89	64.41	63.57	60.05	38.37	42.03	33.41
Belgium	77.85	78.23	76.80	75.20	70.69	68.38	63.58	56.79	49.89	49.92	48.34	32.44
Bulgaria	72.84	73.66	65.64	68.33	62.99	29.42	63.79	65.59	57.80	53.14	55.27	52.79
Canada	50.90	53.76	53.11	57.37	51.02	49.54	49.23	49.92	48.44	47.11	45.05	36.02
Croatia	75.53	71.52	75.43	72.43	78.13	74.86	76.15	56.71	55.38	58.30	58.10	54.31
Czechia	61.40	55.25	61.95	56.11	54.57	51.82	49.72	44.70	42.85	42.86	27.79	28.72
Denmark	51.27	52.01	49.51	47.01	49.88	48.25	46.07	48.31	40.88	29.57	27.38	18.93
Estonia	38.62	39.56	38.70	34.89	33.83	34.18	32.67	33.61	29.41	24.31	22.14	22.64
Finland	40.24	37.88	38.86	40.52	38.95	34.47	33.84	35.09	28.64	23.76	21.00	17.97
France	48.59	47.79	47.94	47.98	46.90	45.59	44.01	42.99	42.33	40.35	38.90	38.22
Germany	50.67	49.86	48.35	48.96	47.99	45.26	42.22	42.28	39.26	35.77	31.15	..
Greece	77.18	72.05	73.13	76.56	78.76	77.08	74.58	53.78	45.92	60.67	61.20	58.45
Hungary	49.77	48.21	49.66	37.13	42.33	35.37	27.18	38.74	31.42	25.00	24.86	28.20
Italy	76.41	77.55	70.79	67.58	68.16	70.21	67.52	63.73	63.67	62.35	58.42	42.85
Latvia	52.97	50.06	43.87	38.59	34.32	33.53	37.15	37.24	36.53	32.31	32.41	29.77
Lithuania	57.53	48.49	45.50	40.79	37.47	40.02	41.33	42.58	33.21	32.05	29.98	25.29
Luxembourg	49.31	42.77	45.56	34.40	33.42	30.76	30.13	34.58	28.78	20.43	19.62	11.73
Montenegro	78.53	78.03	75.32	80.87	73.50	71.39	64.66	59.90	61.12	58.40	46.22	44.40
Netherlands	56.50	55.51	51.77	52.19	51.16	49.27	48.49	47.86	47.04	35.78	37.78	30.57
North Macedonia	72.49	70.95	71.26	75.25	71.53	61.93	63.33	51.03	42.80	47.72	49.66	41.00
Norway	40.64	39.96	38.60	37.08	36.43	34.78	34.51	34.15	34.22	33.97	31.67	20.45
Poland	51.45	41.96	47.15	50.04	46.14	46.91	44.71	43.55	42.72	31.91	30.42	26.75
Portugal	81.27	81.90	81.38	80.19	74.75	70.51	71.15	63.09	61.81	63.61	55.15	..
Romania	71.06	63.30	64.99	54.57	54.44	57.90	59.20	57.79	55.03	59.70	45.46	45.23
Slovak Republic	69.14	56.24	58.72	58.21	54.74	40.81	42.34	46.61	42.77	41.81	40.12	38.86
Slovenia	82.31	82.23	76.03	75.04	72.38	69.07	72.75	61.99	53.77	50.13	46.44	31.29
Spain	67.34	65.18	72.61	61.64	59.64	61.86	62.54	58.70	52.70	49.30	38.43	27.76
Sweden	34.10	29.92	32.12	29.51	28.17	29.99	30.75	22.66	21.48	19.34	14.98	14.45
Türkiye	56.80	56.62	57.60	51.01	44.19	48.39	50.64	47.88	45.27	44.20	40.14	34.41
United Kingdom	36.59	36.80	35.27	34.54	33.75	34.07	33.80	31.49	29.74	30.69	30.35	29.25
United States	35.45	36.64	45.01	41.53	39.74	38.72	38.47	28.34	29.25	27.51	26.10	27.31

Notes: Figures for 2024 and 2025 are estimates.

(a) Equipment expenditure includes major equipment expenditure and R&D devoted to major equipment.

(b) Personnel expenditure includes military and civilian expenditure and pensions.

Table 8b: Distribution of defence expenditure by main category

Percentage of total defence expenditure												
Infrastructure (c)												
	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024e	2025e
Albania	0.86	1.40	1.37	0.92	1.09	1.64	1.39	3.61	5.12	18.67	6.01	3.70
Belgium	1.81	0.93	0.96	1.05	1.43	1.19	1.00	0.82	2.67	3.58	3.75	3.73
Bulgaria	0.63	1.27	0.63	0.83	2.62	1.09	7.71	4.93	6.96	2.01	4.90	2.36
Canada	3.81	3.63	3.03	2.98	3.58	2.72	3.07	3.22	2.64	2.66	2.45	1.44
Croatia	1.22	1.96	1.26	3.63	1.02	1.43	1.53	0.55	0.71	3.01	2.30	1.31
Czechia	2.34	3.32	3.91	3.99	5.31	5.27	7.41	6.24	4.32	6.37	7.02	14.07
Denmark	0.97	1.09	2.16	1.95	1.49	1.85	1.84	4.08	3.07	2.64	2.36	1.07
Estonia	8.20	8.45	12.15	11.27	8.52	6.13	6.65	5.55	8.02	10.65	9.67	8.04
Finland	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.29	0.37	0.63	0.52	0.33	0.36	0.18
France	2.33	2.80	2.70	2.88	3.51	3.13	2.88	3.04	3.01	3.48	3.67	3.83
Germany	3.75	3.60	3.39	4.06	4.15	3.99	3.78	3.74	3.54	3.35	3.35	..
Greece	1.10	0.65	0.58	0.79	0.62	0.20	0.18	0.26	0.26	0.59	0.36	0.00
Hungary	1.07	1.21	1.13	1.31	1.68	2.64	1.41	9.16	2.23	4.19	4.82	5.75
Italy	1.40	1.30	0.70	0.94	1.29	0.67	0.97	1.48	1.95	2.13	2.92	1.90
Latvia	8.89	6.64	12.83	15.02	6.45	10.30	11.85	5.28	4.31	6.85	5.20	5.60
Lithuania	2.17	2.16	3.59	3.92	2.24	2.40	1.25	2.47	4.54	9.77	9.50	6.05
Luxembourg	10.26	7.79	6.64	4.64	5.05	3.16	3.42	7.28	4.96	12.95	9.79	7.05
Montenegro	0.96	2.47	2.41	0.88	1.86	1.48	1.33	5.26	0.49	5.16	7.68	6.64
Netherlands	4.77	3.19	3.90	3.02	3.46	3.26	3.14	2.99	3.32	2.65	3.87	3.09
North Macedonia	1.24	1.67	1.28	1.01	0.95	3.89	2.78	3.09	3.09	1.64	4.31	1.84
Norway	5.71	5.30	6.56	6.93	6.67	5.87	6.55	6.45	5.64	5.17	7.46	4.71
Poland	5.47	4.74	4.62	4.21	3.45	4.78	4.31	3.71	4.12	4.41	4.45	3.76
Portugal	0.11	0.25	0.06	0.03	0.05	0.11	0.08	4.48	2.11	2.48	3.65	..
Romania	1.09	1.27	2.77	2.09	1.54	3.53	4.29	7.06	4.19	4.49	11.50	13.57
Slovak Republic	0.57	1.99	3.75	2.97	2.00	1.17	5.21	1.46	2.60	3.48	5.99	4.32
Slovenia	0.65	0.61	1.14	0.45	1.40	0.57	1.10	1.31	1.92	6.72	4.74	2.20
Spain	0.66	0.97	0.97	0.68	0.64	0.98	1.07	1.08	0.76	1.46	2.32	4.63
Sweden	0.47	0.46	0.47	0.45	0.43	0.38	0.36	0.29	0.23	0.35	0.29	0.40
Türkiye	2.77	2.55	2.42	2.95	2.47	2.26	2.22	7.49	7.63	9.48	8.62	7.39
United Kingdom	1.95	1.63	1.87	2.25	2.99	2.11	1.72	1.72	2.88	2.21	2.24	2.80
United States	1.71	1.45	1.22	1.23	1.17	1.38	1.33	1.27	1.32	1.52	1.80	1.87
Other (d)												
	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024e	2025e
Albania	14.44	11.54	22.57	23.92	18.79	20.86	19.20	17.70	17.78	17.76	25.36	20.77
Belgium	16.83	17.40	17.52	17.23	17.72	19.36	21.54	22.92	27.08	26.27	32.75	49.29
Bulgaria	25.51	21.60	24.58	22.74	24.74	9.74	20.05	18.43	19.54	16.58	7.36	15.74
Canada	32.26	32.14	33.25	28.95	33.46	33.90	33.04	34.79	37.60	35.23	34.24	39.99
Croatia	17.69	18.51	15.79	18.25	17.48	17.16	13.27	12.73	12.72	14.49	13.22	14.51
Czechia	29.73	29.67	27.45	28.35	28.95	26.47	25.56	28.58	28.17	27.73	27.08	26.52
Denmark	36.78	35.40	34.65	40.66	36.97	33.69	34.44	30.42	37.33	55.14	39.44	34.39
Estonia	31.03	39.18	31.30	34.62	41.14	44.20	37.68	37.65	40.71	48.32	44.95	43.50
Finland	46.08	47.96	47.10	46.13	47.49	44.10	44.16	44.40	37.30	33.37	37.73	35.88
France	24.43	24.37	24.92	24.97	25.92	26.74	26.49	26.12	26.02	27.67	28.94	26.92
Germany	32.63	34.61	36.05	35.20	35.49	36.06	36.55	37.29	39.96	42.84	44.34	..
Greece	13.55	16.90	12.84	11.37	9.60	11.17	14.55	8.72	11.53	13.60	12.71	6.55
Hungary	41.40	40.83	35.84	43.01	43.36	25.53	25.84	15.70	18.76	31.59	22.51	21.09
Italy	11.27	11.42	9.42	10.80	11.43	12.11	12.95	11.56	11.61	13.54	17.08	29.57
Latvia	30.59	29.69	24.25	31.38	27.38	34.51	30.46	35.42	34.51	29.27	37.08	29.13
Lithuania	26.24	27.79	20.85	23.67	23.30	20.01	23.71	32.63	25.63	29.51	30.50	22.82
Luxembourg	17.82	16.11	17.73	18.90	16.35	16.37	16.30	18.57	21.15	10.22	19.21	27.71
Montenegro	13.06	14.07	17.80	13.27	13.50	12.16	13.06	14.30	15.53	12.44	15.69	14.69
Netherlands	28.05	30.14	30.20	30.04	28.99	27.13	26.24	25.29	34.85	37.70	35.09	40.28
North Macedonia	20.34	16.25	19.09	17.26	16.43	20.36	22.37	24.10	29.98	25.47	16.42	24.80
Norway	33.24	32.90	31.46	31.36	31.30	30.59	30.53	30.21	31.75	31.57	33.53	43.41
Poland	24.24	20.11	26.61	23.71	22.89	24.95	21.67	18.85	20.74	18.94	22.23	15.05
Portugal	10.19	9.15	8.61	8.35	9.72	12.77	11.41	19.97	19.99	15.09	22.17	..
Romania	12.08	15.78	11.81	10.01	10.55	12.98	13.38	13.58	15.26	13.87	10.95	9.39
Slovak Republic	19.16	23.49	22.22	21.08	20.99	17.95	20.60	19.59	18.09	28.63	18.72	25.72
Slovenia	16.38	15.31	21.80	20.47	20.24	23.25	20.46	22.14	21.94	19.23	23.88	39.96
Spain	18.50	19.03	19.78	17.28	17.89	16.14	16.96	17.76	25.65	21.85	28.46	35.32
Sweden	24.97	31.53	32.79	48.40	49.00	46.67	45.09	56.83	57.15	50.07	49.36	49.33
Türkiye	15.36	15.69	14.42	15.73	15.69	15.03	16.41	15.32	18.67	16.54	17.88	31.20
United Kingdom	38.63	39.82	41.62	40.92	41.01	40.97	40.65	37.29	35.96	35.84	34.05	31.99
United States	36.87	36.51	28.73	31.52	32.03	30.84	30.51	41.69	41.58	41.60	43.12	41.12

Notes: Figures for 2024 and 2025 are estimates.

(c) Infrastructure expenditure includes NATO common infrastructure and national military construction.

(d) Other expenditure includes operations and maintenance expenditure, other R&D expenditure and expenditure not allocated among above mentioned categories.

NATO Defence Expenditure

NATO defines defence expenditure as payments made by a national government specifically to meet the needs of its armed forces, those of Allies or of the Alliance. A major component of defence expenditure is payments for Armed Forces financed from within the Ministry of Defence (MoD) budget. Armed Forces include Land, Maritime and Air forces as well as Joint formations such as Administration and Command, Special Operations Forces, Medical Service, Logistic Command, Space Command, Cyber Command, etc. They might also include "Other Forces" like Ministry of Interior troops, national police forces, gendarmerie, carabinieri, coast guards etc. In such cases, expenditure is included only in proportion to the forces that are trained in military tactics, are equipped as a military force, can operate under direct military authority in deployed operations, and can, realistically, be deployed outside national territory in support of a military force. Also, expenditure on Other Forces financed through the budgets of ministries other than MoD is included in defence expenditure.

Pension payments made directly by the government to retired military and civilian employees of military departments is included regardless of whether these payments are made from the budget of the MoD or other ministries.

Expenditure for peacekeeping and humanitarian operations (paid by MoD or other ministries), the destruction of weapons, equipment and ammunition, contributions to eligible NATO-managed trust funds, and the costs associated with inspection and control of equipment destruction are included in defence expenditure.

Research and development (R&D) costs are included in defence expenditure. R&D costs also include expenditure for those projects that do not successfully lead to production of equipment.

Expenditure for the military component of mixed civilian-military activities is included, but only when the military component can be specifically accounted for or estimated.

Expenditure on NATO common infrastructure is included in the total defence expenditure of each Ally only to the extent of that nation's net contribution.

War damage payments and spending on civil defence are both excluded from the NATO definition of defence expenditure.

NATO uses United States dollars (USD) as the common currency denominator. The exchange rate applied to each Ally is the average annual rate published by the International Monetary Fund (IMF).

Note to readers:

Iceland has no armed forces. For nations of the Euro zone and Montenegro, monetary values in national currency are expressed in Euros for all years. Latvia adopted the Euro from, Lithuania from 2015, and Croatia from 2023. Montenegro joined the Alliance in 2017, North Macedonia in 2020, Finland in 2023 and Sweden in 2024.

To avoid any ambiguity, the fiscal year has been designated by the year which includes the highest number of months: e.g. 2023 represents the fiscal year 2023/2024 for Canada and United Kingdom, and the fiscal year 2022/2023 for the United States. Because of rounding, the total figures may differ from the sum of their components.

Conventional signs:

- e estimated
- nil
- .. not available
- | break in continuity of series
- . decimal point

Nomenclature of NATO defence expenditure:

1	Operating costs
1.1	<i>Military personnel</i>
1.1.1	Pay and allowances
1.1.2	Employer's contributions to retirement funds
1.1.3	Other
1.2	<i>Civilian personnel</i>
1.2.1	Pay and allowances
1.2.2	Employer's contributions to retirement funds
1.3	<i>Pensions</i>
1.3.1	Paid to military retirees
1.3.2	Paid to civilian retirees
1.4	<i>Operations and maintenance</i>
1.4.1	Ammunition and explosives (excluding nuclear)
1.4.2	Petroleum products
1.4.3	Spare parts
1.4.4	Other equipment and supplies
1.4.5	Rents
1.4.6	Other operations and maintenance
2	Procurement and construction
2.1	<i>Major equipment</i>
2.1.1	Missile systems
2.1.2	Missiles (conventional weapons)
2.1.3	Nuclear weapons
2.1.4	Aircraft
2.1.5	Artillery
2.1.6	Combat vehicles
2.1.7	Engineering equipment
2.1.8	Weapons and small arms
2.1.9	Transport vehicles
2.1.10	Ships and harbour craft
2.1.11	Electronic and communications equipment
2.2	<i>National military construction</i>
2.3	<i>NATO common infrastructure</i>
2.3.1	Expenditure as host nation
2.3.2	Payments to other nations
2.3.3	Receipts from other nations
2.3.4	Land and utilities
3	Research and development
3.1	<i>Devoted to major equipment</i>
3.2	<i>Other</i>
4	Other expenditure
5	Total
6	Statistical discrepancy
7	Adjusted total

Main categories of defence expenditure:

- Equipment (Table 8a) – lines 2.1 + 3.1
- Personnel (Table 8a) – lines 1.1 + 1.2 + 1.3
- Infrastructure (Table 8b) – lines 2.2 + 2.3
- Other (Table 8b) – lines 1.4 + 3.2 + 4